

FELL OVER HIS FATHER'S DEAD BODY

Ambrose Wilson Returned to His Boarding Place and Found Father in Hallway.

BOTH BEATEN AND STABBED

Police Arrest Proprietor of Place Charging Him With the Murder.

New York, Dec. 20.—Ambrose Wilson, a young Jersey City business man, returned to his boarding place early today after a belated evening visit with friends and tumbled head-first over the body of his father, Frank Wilson, in the hallway.

The old man's body was cold and he had been there apparently for several hours. Examination showed that he had been terribly beaten with some heavy implement and finally killed by a stab in the neck which severed the jugular vein.

The police, after a hurried investigation, arrested August Miller and his wife Jane, owners of the house. The two Wilsons, father and son, had boarded with them for several years.

The police lodged a charge of murder against Miller and directed that the wife be held as a witness.

According to the police, the Millers had quarreled with the elder Wilson during the evening and a fight ensued. Mrs. Miller taking Wilson's part, Miller, it is alleged, was forced in the preliminary encounter and returned to the fray with a broom.

He knocked Wilson down with this weapon, the police say, breaking the broom across his head. Then he took the jagged, silvered stick and shoved it into the old man's neck, severing the jugular vein.

The police are of the opinion that after Miller found that Wilson was dead, he carried the body from the upper floor where the fight took place to the bottom of the stairs in an effort to give the impression that the man had fallen down stairs.

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Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 20.—J. P. Morgan has presented the University of Michigan with a set of four books, productions of old wood cuts and manuscripts and especially valuable because of the few copies extant. Not long ago the university presented Mr. Morgan with a facsimile of the famous Freer Bible manuscript.

CHICAGO HAVING

A BUMPER CHRISTMAS YEAR

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Christmas this year is bringing unusual joy to the heart of the State street merchant. It is bidding fair to be a bumper year for a golden harvest of trade. Never before in Chicago's history has the Christmas spirit so manifest in the buying of gifts. There is small sale for cheap, shoddy gifts. The counters of the more expensive grades of goods are attracting the tide of the shoppers in great masses.

This was the report yesterday from a review of the highest catalog in the retail district. Big department store heads were consulted for a statement of the conditions in their stores compared with previous years. They all admitted more money was coming over the counter than ever before. Even the street "fakers" have doubled in number over last holiday time. Four hundred and twelve of them secured licenses yesterday at the city hall and were soon at work selling their wares.

DRESS CAUGHT FIRE.

GIRL BURNED TO DEATH

New York, Dec. 20.—Burns received when her dress caught fire as she was showing her "Christmas shopping" to her little sister, caused the death here early today of 8-year-old Ethel O'Connor.

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nor, daughter of Judge K. O'Connor of the municipal court. Little Ethel's Christmas purchases consisted of several dolls and pieces of dolls' clothing. They were hidden in a small trunk beneath her bed. When, late last evening, she took her 8-year-old sister, Josephine, to inspect the treasures, it was dark in the room and Ethel struck a match as she stooped to pull the trunk out. Like a flash the spluttering flames caught her light dress and as she ran screaming from the room, the blaze spread from her head to her feet.

A terrified servant in the next room threw up a window and screamed for help. Her cries won quick response from a passerby, who beat out the flames with his coat, but not until the girl had been severely burned. She was carried to a nearby hospital, where she died a few hours later.

U. S. AERONAUTICAL STATION.

Cincinnati, Dec. 20.—The newest station in the service of the United States aeronautical reserve has been located at Ludlow, Ky., opposite this city. Officers in charge will make daily experiments in the use of aerobatics.

FOUND NO MONEY

SO SET STORE ON FIRE

Trinidad, Colo., Dec. 20.—Failing to find the money they expected to get after breaking into the store of A. D. Bruno, robbers yesterday set fire to the store and in the excitement following ran across Bruno's house, 200 yards away, carrying \$300 which the storekeeper had taken home for safekeeping. Bruno discovered his loss when he returned from fighting the fire.

COUNTERFEITERS TRY

TO SELL TERRITORY

Newburg, N. Y., Dec. 20.—Italians of this city have received circulars from Erie, Pa., in which they are invited to buy special territory for the distribution of counterfeit \$5 and \$10 notes. Copies of the circulars have been turned over to the police and secret service men will make an investigation. The circulars are in Italian and suggest that if the recipient means business, he should communicate with a man whose name the police do not disclose, but whose address, they say, is the New Marine hotel, 225 State street, Erie, Pa.

YOU MUST READ THIS IF YOU

WANT THE BENEFIT.

J. W. Green, Greenwood, La., suffered with a severe case of lumbago. The pains were so intense I was forced to hypodermic injections for relief. These attacks started with a pain in the small of my back which gradually became fairly paralyzing. My attention was attracted to Foley's Kidney Remedy and I am glad to say after using this wonderful medicine I am no longer bothered in any way by my old enemy lumbago.—Schramm-Johnson Drug Co.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. W. A. Rutton is hostess this afternoon at an informal bridge tea in honor of Mrs. L. L. Loomis of Canada, who is spending the winter here with her daughter, Mrs. Boyer. The decorations are in the holiday colors, red carnations being used with ferns. The hostess is assisted by Mrs. T. W. Boyer, Miss Ethel Mount and Miss Pearl Savage, and three tables are played, with others coming in for tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Jenkins entertain at a dinner this evening at their home.

Lieut. and Mrs. G. A. Weiser give a bridge party this evening at the post in honor of Lieut. and Mrs. Potter.

The Wasatch Literary club meets this afternoon with Mrs. Beveridge and Mrs. Bowditch, and 10-minute papers will be given by Mrs. Ulmer, Mrs. Searles, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Melton.

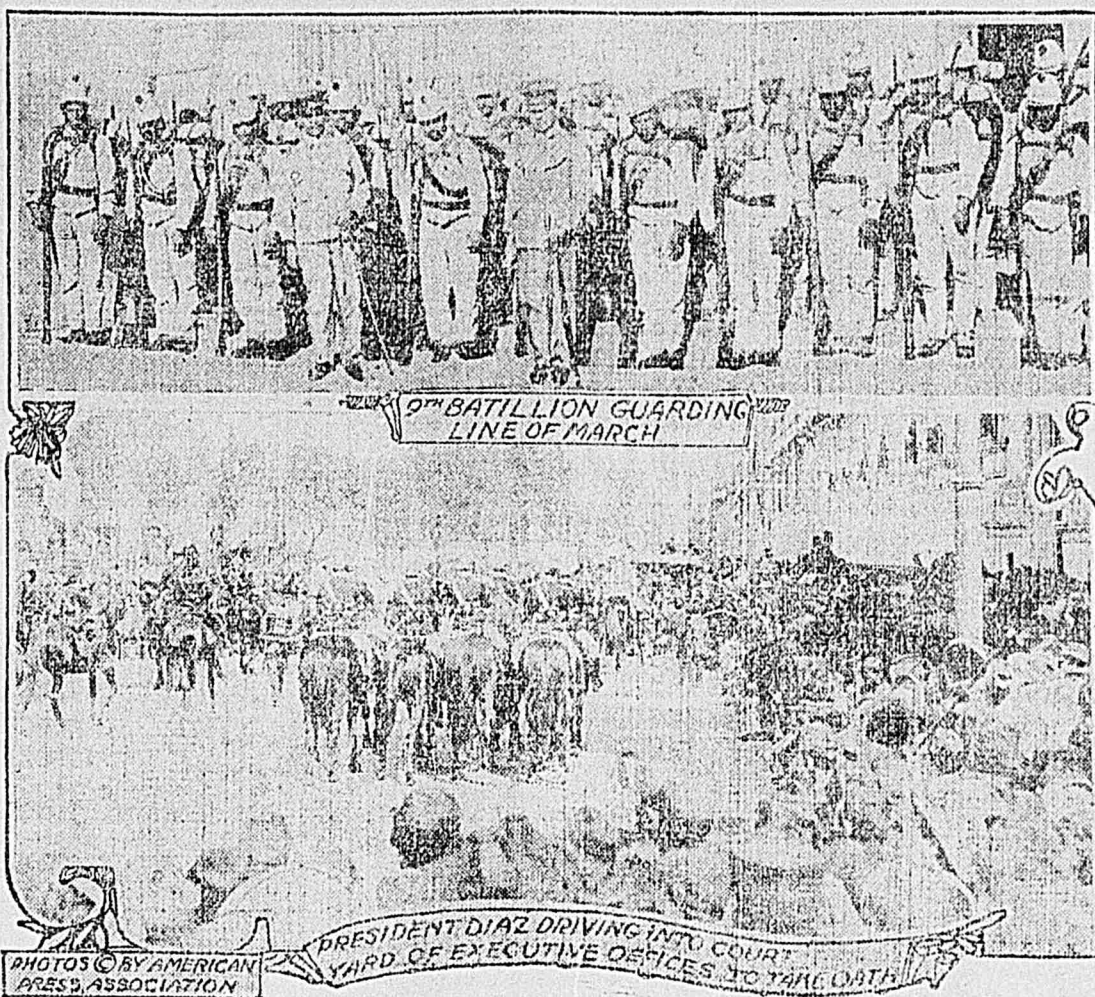
Miss Aileen MacLain will entertain the Baskins this evening at her home, and a play will be given under direction of Miss Aurea Ellerbeck and Lieut. A. B. Garey.

The Misses May and Ivy Brown entertain this night at a shower party for Miss Eva Youngberg, whose marriage to Edward McGiven takes place tomorrow. The decorations were in the Christmas bells and holly, and the time was enjoyed with games and music. The guests were chiefly members of the Euterpe club.

The Christmas entertainment to be given for the Free Kindergarten on the west side takes place on Thursday morning at the schoolhouse, and any contributions in the way of toys, necessary articles of clothing, or food will be gratefully accepted. Such gifts may be sent to Mrs. E. V. Silver or any member of the board.

The Billiken club was delightfully entertained at the home of Miss Maude Ford at its last meeting. The home was prettily decorated, Christmas decorations being used throughout, the parlor and diningroom, red and green being the colors used. The club game was the main feature of the evening, prizes being won by Miss Hazel Wil-

First Pictures Showing How Diaz Was Guarded by Troops During Inaugural Parade.



The City of Mexico was filled to overflowing with troops when President Diaz took the oath of office Dec. 1. These are the first pictures received in this country showing how his carriage was closely guarded by mounted troops, while the streets were lined with infantry. Notwithstanding the efforts of the Mexican government to prove that the rebels have been crushed, reports are being received daily to show that the anti-Diaz party is carrying on its struggle with some degree of success.

kinson and Mrs. G. A. Smith, Mrs. J. T. Gant was assisted by Mrs. J. M. Allen. After very dainty refreshments were served the club was adjourned until Jan. 21, when Mrs. J. H. Manwaring will entertain at Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cahoe have issued invitations for a reception at their home on the evening of Jan. 2, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Mrs. W. G. Tattle leaves this week to spend the holidays with relatives at Grand Rapids, Mich. She will be accompanied by Miss Louise Davis who has been here visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. S. Steiner will leave shortly for Fremont, Neb., to spend the holiday with relatives.

Miss Eliza Dey will return home from school for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McQuestion will leave early in January for a trip to Scotland.

Mrs. Albert Stone Handler and Miss Juliette Betts are in the city from Denver visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dinwoodey.

Rev. and Mrs. Ransom Procter Nichols celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary last evening in an informal reception at their home.

HOTEL GOSSIP.

Reservations for Teachers—Reservations have been made at the Kenyon hotel for headquarters for the executive committee of the State Teachers' association during the annual meeting of the association, to be held here on Dec. 27, 28, 29 and 30. Dr. Elmer E. Brown, United States commissioner of education, will also have headquarters in the Kenyon and in addition, a bureau of information will be established in the lobby of the hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Muhlax of

Denver, who are registered at the New Grand, are lavish in their praise of Salt Lake City. Mr. Muhlax, once state treasurer of Colorado but now head of the certified public accountant business said:

"It is a beautiful and attractive city. Mrs. Muhlax is even more fascinated with Salt Lake than I am, and it is not a sure wager that I shall be able to get her away before the middle of the week, although I had purposed leaving for Denver Monday. Your modern buildings would do credit to any city in the world, and certainly your splendidly improved, wide streets are in every way far excellent—the finest to be seen in any city on this broad continent. If it does not come to the front of any city in the west it will be the fault of your citizens."

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TEXAS BIRD IN UTAH.

H. C. Jensen Shoots a Least Grebe While Hunting for Ducks.

A few days ago H. C. Jensen, while hunting at the Morris Gun club, wounded what he mistook for a small heron of the usual species peculiar to this region; upon examining it closely, however, he found it was new to him, so he presented it to the state university, where Dr. Vorhies found it to be a Least Grebe, (Columba dominicus brachypterus), a species of the subgenus "podiceps" of the order "graculoides," diving birds, heretofore found only from Panama north to southern Texas and lower California. Dr. Vorhies is preserving the skin for the university museum.

The Least Grebe is a tiny dusky grebe or diver about half as big as the dabchick; its bill is black tipped. The adult bird is dull greenish black at the top of the head and on the back; its chin and throat are blackish; the sides of its neck and head, plumbeous, and its breast a mottled silvery gray. Its wing measures 3.9 and its bill .32 inches. Its nest is placed on the water where it floats among the rushes. The toes of the bird are not webbed but each toe is individually provided.

These tiny grebes are as common in

the ponds of Southern Texas as the dabchick and common heron of the north. In open water they bob on the little waves, and in quiet pools where the willows overhang the banks they swim an dive about the sedges and pink water lilies.

When not seeking food below the surface of the water, they usually keep close to some cover, and in the middle of the day, if not hidden in the sedges, are found sitting close under the shore grass or in the shade of a bush or low hanging tree. Naturally, therefore the Jordan river environment is admirably adapted to attract one of these little grebes perhaps driven far out of its regular haunt in a flight of only 24 hours.

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Few more than nine thousand persons viewed the store between 2 & 9:30 o'clock yesterday

And all received appropriate souvenirs—the ladies, the men and the boys

An Elaborate Display of Holiday Goods

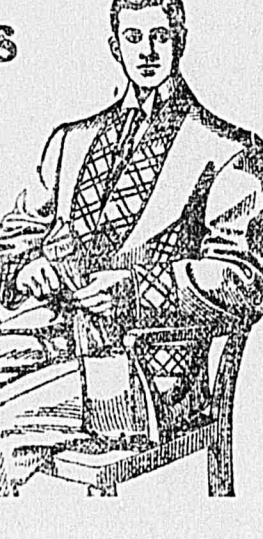
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15.00 Bath Robes, 12.00	16.00 House Coats, 13.00



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Mufflers

An endless assortment of mufflers of every wanted style.

Full fashioned wool neck mufflers, for men or women, 30c; large size for autoing or driving, \$1 and \$1.50; boys' sizes, 25c.

Silk shawl mufflers, \$2, \$4, \$5, \$7, \$10, \$12 and \$15.

Regulation silk mufflers, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50. Reefers, \$1 to \$3.

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If you wish to give something and are not certain as to size required, or the colors or styles that would be most acceptable, buy one of our merchandise orders, which will entitle the holder to purchase the article described therein.

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This department is bristling with useful and serviceable novelties. These are a few of the many things "we" would appreciate:

Collar Bags, 25c to \$2.00	Rings and triangles for holding, 25c to \$2.00	Automobile and hunting cutlery, sets \$4.00 to \$5.00
Coin purses, 25c to \$2.00	scruffy, metal or silver, \$1.50 to \$5.00	Smoking sets (copper or brass), \$1.50 to \$5.00
Bill books, 25c to \$2.00	Traveling slippers, very flexible, in leather cases, various colors, \$1.50 to \$2.50	Traveling sets, containing nail file, hair and clothes brushes, comb, mirror, soap dish and similar articles, \$5 to \$25.
Card cases, 25c to \$1.50	Handkerchief Cases, \$2.00 to \$2.50	Dress gloves, \$1.00 to \$2.00
Pass cases, 50c, 75c and \$1.00	Cigar cases, 25c to \$2.00	Suit Cases, \$2.00 to \$20.00
Handkerchief Cases, \$2.00 to \$2.50	Umbrellas, \$1.00 to \$7.50	Travelling Cups (with leather cases), \$1.50 to \$10.00
Cigar cases, 25c to \$2.00	Cases, \$1.50 to \$15.00	
Brush sets, combination hat and clothes brush, in leather cases, \$2.00 to \$5.00	Folding canes with or without leather cases, \$5.00 to \$8.00	
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